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Docket Number (Optional) 53689-5002-03 PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) In re application of: Thomas Maciag, et al. Application No. 10/650,650 Filed: August 28, 2003 For: THERAPEUTIC AND DIAGNOSTIC METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS BASED ON JAGGED/NOTCH PROTEINS AND NUCLEIC ACIDS Examiner: Betty L. Lee Art Unit: 1647 This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application. The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired): Large Entity Small Entity \$ 120 One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))\$ 60 \$ 450 \$ 225 Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) X | Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$1020 \$ 510 Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1590 \$ 795 Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))\$2160 \$1080 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-0573. A copy of this sheet is enclosed. I am the Applicant/inventor assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). X Attorney or agent of record. Attorney or agent of record under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a): WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. Signature Typed Name Thomas Sossong, Jr. Registration No. 48,463 13-569-2006 Date NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are

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